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SUBJECT: NEW NIGERIAN AMBASSADOR TO SENEGAL: EMMANUEL OBE

1. EMMANUEL OBE, THE NEW NIGERIAN AMBASSADOR TO SENEGAL, WAS BORN ON DECEMBER 10, 1932 IN AKURE IN THE WESTERN REGION, NEW ONDO STATE. A UNIVERSITY GRADUATE, OBE JOINED THE FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE IN 1960. HIS LATEST POST WAS AS DCM AT THE NIGERIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

2. OBE IS A WARM, EXPRESSIVE PERSON AND MAKES A GENERALLY GOOD APPEARANCE. HIS STYLE IS MORE HALE AND HEARTY THAN THAT OF MOST NIGERIAN DIPLOMATS. DURING HIS WASHINGTON TOUR, HE WAS KNOWN AS A MAN STRONGLY INTERESTED IN COMMERCIAL MATTERS AND WAS INVOLVED IN SEVERAL DEALS LINKING U.S. EXECUTIVES WITH POTENTIAL PARTNERS IN NIGERIA. HE WAS REPORTED TO BE VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT HIS DAKAR ASSIGNMENT.

3. OBE IS MARRIED. HE SPEAKS GOOD FRENCH.
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